

BRIEF MENTION.

ITEMS GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS

—The Richmond Dispatch, of yesterday, says: Mr. W. F. Smythe, of Washington county, a clerk in the office of the auditor of public accounts, was married yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock to Miss Nellie F. Baker, daughter of Mr. Myron Baker.

—Best Pocahontas lump coal and dry wood delivered promptly by Clark & Reed. Telephone 70.

—Maggie Mullin, a street walker, was fined \$5 by the mayor yesterday, and in default of payment sent to jail; but on the representations of the jailer his honor ordered her to be turned loose.

—T. T. Powell, esq., late of the Richmond bar, has located in this city for the practice of law. Mr. Powell is a brother of Mr. L. L. Powell, the real estate agent, and is a young gentleman of talent.

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—Mr. P. P. Watson, of Martinsville, was a guest at Hotel Roanoke yesterday. Mr. Watson is a director of the Roanoke and Southern Railroad company, and is very hopeful as to the outlook.

—A marriage license was issued yesterday by the clerk of the corporation court to Mr. John M. Kabler and Miss Virginia Tinnell.

—Call and examine my choice stock of groceries at 148 Salem avenue. W. W. Marston.

—Elijah Lawson, colored, was before the mayor yesterday for disorderly conduct. He was fined \$10 for indulging in such unseemly behavior.

—Messrs. W. S. Role & Co. have moved their office to the new Stewart block, on Campbell street, opposite the postoffice, with L. L. Powell & Co.

—Hats, caps and umbrellas at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue. nov14-

—The members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church, will meet in the church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. All ladies of the church and congregation are earnestly invited to be present.

—Gents' fine hand-made shoes at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue. nov14-

—The hop at Hotel Roanoke will take place tonight and next Monday evening as was inadvertently stated yesterday.

—Dr. T. P. H. Miller, of Elkton, was in the city yesterday looking after his real estate interests.

—Gent's stiff and felt hats just received at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue. nov14-

—Children's and infant's shoes very cheap at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue. nov14-

—Clara Bowles was fined \$5 by the mayor yesterday for being drunk.

Mr. A. K. HAWKES.—About a year ago I procured my first pair of glasses from some dealer, but they strained my eyes and caused them to ache. I then bought a pair of your crystalline lenses, and the effect has been wonderful, as a proof of which I do not use any glasses now and see as well as ever.

F. E. DANIEL, M. D.
Ed. Tex. Med. Record.
All eyes fitted and guaranteed by Charles Lyle & Co., druggists.

James S. Simmons & Co., real estate agents, have placed the property of the Ingleside Land company on the market at \$250 per lot, on terms of \$25 cash and \$10 per month. These lots are unsurpassed for beauty of location, and all parties wishing a desirable site for a home should call at once at the office of JAS. S. SIMMONS & CO.

Go to M. L. Smith's if you wish to purchase one of Stecks', Steinway's or McCammon's superior pianos, in imported oak, mahogany, rosewood or ebony cases. He has, also, a full stock of the very latest makes of organs.

M. L. Smith's Salem avenue establishment has a full supply of books, beautiful photographs, albums and an endless variety of novelty goods.

For sale.—Four draft horses cheap Diamond Ice Company.

—Plaster your house with Marble Rock lime, best on the market. If you don't believe it, call on Carner & Co., sole agents. Remember they are the cheapest sash, door and blind manufacturers in the city. Satisfaction guaranteed.

If you want lots in Hyde Park call at once.

—Boys and children hats at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue. nov14-

—Chew spear head once, and you will have no other.

—M. L. Smith has a full line of gift books, toilet and manicure sets, triple coated mirrors, decorated china ware, fine porcelain plaques, tooth brushes and everything needed in the way of ornament or utility.

For RENT.—A nicely furnished room, suitable for a gentleman. Apply at 401 Campbell street, or at the Times office.

The Roanoke Manufacturing company have just received a car load of Rosendale cement, price very low. They also carry a full stock of the following lines: Anchor, Virginia and Rockland brands. Can make prompt shipments. Prices fairly low.

For Sale.

Lot in Edgewood for \$300, \$50 cash and \$10 per month.

House and lot on Eighth \$2,000, \$300 cash and \$25 per month.

House and lot on Eighth avenue for \$1,350, cash \$350 and \$20 per month. Hyde Park lot at \$250 to \$300.

J. F. WINGFIELD.
Insurance and Real Estate Agent.

PERSONAL POINTS.

The Coming and Going of People We Know.

Messrs. R. G. Jones and C. H. Vines, two prominent attorneys of Fincastle, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. W. Snelling, a wholesale tobacco dealer, of Danville, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. B. A. Jones arrived home yesterday evening from a short business trip to Lynchburg.

Mrs. Sarah Harth, proprietress of the Harth house, at Fincastle, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. F. E. Bachman, general manager of the Salem Furnace company, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. C. C. Taliaferro, of the real estate firm of Dupuy & Taliaferro, returned home yesterday from a visit to Prince Edward county.

Mr. J. R. Cunningham returned yesterday evening from a visit to Prince Edward and Buckingham counties.

Dr. W. T. Walker, of Lynchburg, arrived here yesterday evening in response to a telegram calling him here in consultation.

Mr. J. P. Maher, weighmaster of the Norfolk and Western scales, has been confined to his room for the past two or three days from a severe attack of sickness.

Mr. J. R. Pierpont and family, of Berlin, Connecticut, arrived here yesterday on a brief visit.

Mr. Tazewell Helms, a prominent merchant of Franklin county is in the city looking after his real estate interests.

Mr. A. B. Claytor, of the firm of Gish, Claytor & Co., tobaccoists of Liberty, was in the city yesterday, in the interest of his firm.

Mr. W. A. Griffith and bride, nee Mrs. Bird, both of Tallahassee, Fla., left for home last night after a brief visit to relatives in this city. Mr. Griffith took with him to Florida his two little children, Mary and Reynolds, who have been living with relatives in Franklin county for the past one or two years.

SPECIAL LOCAL NOTICES.

Try Marston's rock candy drip syrup.

If you wish to be at peace with your fellow men, chew spear head and mint julep.

Large assortment of solid silver wedding presents just received at H. Silverthorn's, No. 8 Salem avenue.

A beautiful stock of Japanese goods has just been received by E. H. Stewart & Co.

New buckwheat flour, oatmeal and graham flour can be had at Marston's.

W. P. Camp is prepared to move furniture and all other movable property. Give him a call.

Buy your cooking stoves from M. H. Jennings & Co., near market house Salem avenue.

The Roanoke Manufacturing company have an elegant lot of ash and walnut lumber of various thickness. Hence, they are prepared to furnish fine interior finish for houses on short notice.

Cheap lots on installments, cheap lots for cash, cheap lots usual terms. J. F. Wingfield, insurance and real estate agent.

Mint julep, mint julep, mint julep.

Hughes & Camp are sole agents here for the celebrated spiral spring buggy, the best carriage on the market. Call and see them.

The Roanoke Manufacturing company has a large lot of framing lumber in stock which they are anxious to sell.

A full line of carriages, phaetons, buggies, harness, saddles, etc., always a stock at Hughes & Camp.

Turcomans, portieres, mantel lamp-hooding, table covers and scarfs at E. H. Stewart & Co's.

Stoves! stoves! stoves! cheaper than ever at M. H. Jennings & Co., Salem avenue, near market house.

Carr, the sign painter, does excellent work. Corner Third avenue and First street, N. W.

Marston is receiving daily new prunes, raisins, currants, figs and citron.

A \$12,000 stock of carpets, rugs and art squares, just received by E. H. Stewart & Co's.

Antique oak dining and chamber suits in large variety at E. H. Stewart & Co's.

Mint julep in November! Ye Gods!!!

Mint julep is the finest grade of navy tobacco on the market. Try it!

The Roanoke Manufacturing company are receiving daily large lots of nice, well-seasoned lumber, suitable for paint or oil finish, which they are desirous to sell.

Ask your grocer for spear head tobacco; you'll like it.

The Roanoke Manufacturing company are now unloading a carload of sashes, doors and blinds. Prices will be made lower than ever before. Call before purchasing.

Don't fail to attend the grand opening of Christmas goods at M. L. Smith's.

WANTED.—At once, a dry goods salesman. Apply at Rosenbaum & Bros', Salem avenue.

For an easy conscience chew mint julep and spear head.

The Virginia Beauty is the only 5 cent package made by hand.

Notice.

The late change in the firm of W. P. Camp has nothing to do with the barroom, attached, and Messrs. J. T. Jones & Co. are still in their old stand in the rear of the store, and are still showing their fine medicinal whiskey to the front, and have just received the finest stock of liquors, wines, etc., on the market. Call and try them.

J. K. JONES & Co.,
Old No. 1, 105 Norfolk Avenue.

Census Districts.

The superintendent of the census has made a division of the census districts of this state:

The Roanoke district comprises Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Craig, Dickinson, Floyd, Giles, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, Russell, Scott, Smyth, Tazewell, Washington, Wise and Wythe counties.

GOVERNOR LEE'S MESSAGE.

How He Thinks the State Debt May Be Settled.

Governor Lee submitted his message to the legislature today. The salient points of it follow:

"If all the outstanding obligations of the state were funded into Riddleberger bonds, the principal would be, in round numbers, \$22,000,000, carrying an annual interest charge of \$600,000.

By using the assets of the state, this principal could be reduced in round numbers to \$17,000,000, carrying an annual interest charge of \$510,000. If the present appropriations are continued, and the revenues remain practically the same, the amount available to pay interest on any settlement of the debt in round numbers will be about \$361,000. The difference between this amount and the interest would have to be paid under the new settlement now offered. The creditors could be provided for by the legislature.

"The most important points in the financial part of the message," continued the governor, "is where the question is narrowed down to the items alone that are pressing for settlement." The message intimates that the \$12,000,000 in round numbers, with tax coupons, and the \$5,800,000 of the tax coupons which have matured in and inclusive of January 1st, 1890, might be funded at 70, 60 and 40 cents respectively, making a total principal of \$14,950,000, on which at 3 (three) per cent. the annual interest would be \$448,500.

If the above classes of bonds can be settled in some such way the debt would be settled, as the litigation has been for them alone. The state has had to pay on an average during the past two years \$237,000 for coupons, forced into the treasury for taxes. If some such proposition as has been outlined was accepted by the creditors, she would only have to pay \$163,000 per annum more than she has been paying to have the debt settled.

The Cruisers Are Not Big Coal Consumers.

Secretary Tracy says that the statement published that the new cruisers use an unusual amount of coal to obtain ordinary speed is untrue, and entirely unwarranted by the facts in the case. As a rule the consumption of coal by the new vessels on a cruise will be between twenty-five and thirty tons a day, which is not an unusual quantity. The reports of excessive quantities of coal being needed to obtain a high rate of speed arose, he thinks, from the fact that on trial trips the aim is to ascertain what speed the vessels can reach, and to that end the boilers are fed with all the coal they can consume. In the ordinary life of a ship she will not be expected to keep at full speed, and unless in pursuing an enemy or retreating from one, she will not be likely to be put to her full speed.—Washington Post.

For Selling Postage Stamps on Credit. By Associated Press.

HARTFORD, Conn., December 4. A dozen or fifteen of the Connecticut postmasters who have been arrested for violating the postal laws by selling postage stamps on credit, appeared before the United States district court today. They were all fined \$50 and costs, amounting in all to \$110.

THERE WILL BE A CALLED communication of Murray Chapter, No. 22, Royal Arch Masons in the Masonic Temple, Thursday, December 5, at 7:30 o'clock. All R. A. Masons are fraternally invited.

By order of the M. E. H. P.
GEO. C. McCANAN, Secretary.

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CHURCH AND ROANOKE STS.
Roanoke, Va.

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no10 6m

TOWN LOTS The Lots of the Salem Land Improvement Company, of Salem, Virginia, will be placed on sale December 11th, 1889, at noon. Maps clearly ready. A rare chance for business men and investors. If you cannot be present write to J. W. F. ALLEMONG, Pres., nov19-2w Salem, Va.

General Notice.

THE ROANOKE ELECTRIC LIGHT and Power company are now prepared to wire new buildings (concealed work) for electric lights, furnishing combination gas and electric light fixtures at lowest prices. First-class work guaranteed. Address ROANOKE ELECTRIC LIGHT CO. nov5 1m

H. H. BROWNLEE & SON

Plumbers, Tanners and Gas Fitters are prepared also to do work in the line of Tapping Sewers.

Commerce Street, near hen-S andoah avenue,

GIVE THEM A CALL.

DELINQUENTS, TAKE NOTICE.

All real estate delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for 1888 will be sold at public auction on the first day of December court, between the hours of 10 in the morning and 4 in the evening, in front of the court-house, unless said taxes have been previously paid to the treasurer, a list of which can be found in clerk's office.

M. C. THOMAS,
no13-1m Treasurer City of Roanoke.

DR. T. W. CROZIER,

DENTIST. Roanoke, Va.

Office over Lyle's drug store, corner Salem avenue and Commerce street.

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MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A NICE seven room house on Elm street. Apply to J. C. JOHNSON, dec5-1w P. O. Box 119.

WANTED AT THE SALEM FURNACE fifty stone masons and 100 helpers. Apply to D. SINCLAIR, nov30-1w* Salem Furnace.

FOR SALE.—NICE DWELLING. Fine rooms, for \$1,650, in monthly payments of \$30. J. F. WINGFIELD, real estate and insurance agent. nov24 1t

J. R. HOCKADAY.

The Pioneer Real Estate agent, of Roanoke city, who has been for the past seven years located on Salem avenue, opposite the First National bank, has removed his office to the First National bank building, fronting on Henry or First street, S. W., where he is better prepared with increased facilities, good conveyances and polite assistants to serve the public in all the branches of real estate, selling, exchanging and renting on commission, and takes this opportunity of returning thanks for the liberal patronage of the past, requesting a continuance of the same, promising his personal attention to all business entrusted to his care.

no 26 1m

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Room No. 1, Masonic Temple, Campbell street.

Paid up shares \$50 each. Installment shares \$1 per month.

Borrowers can at any time secure a loan and fix their own limit of the period for repayment.

As a savings bank this institution offers special inducements. Installment shares may be subscribed for at any time. Interest is allowed on moneys placed with the association.

This association is doing a successful business, paying semi-annual dividends, and is a desirable investment for capital.

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In presenting Pratt's Astral Oil to your notice, we offer the best

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TO THE LADIES.

We will pay \$10.00 in Gold to the lady furnishing the best receipt for keeping husbands at home at night. All articles must bear the name of writer on back and not be over One Half Column in length. Articles will be published in this column, bearing any non de plume. Contest will close January 1st, 1890, when three men will be selected, who will not know name of contestant, to award prize. Address all communications to Waller Pocahontas Huff & Co., the leading low price Coal and Lumber merchants, Roanoke, Va.

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One pound essence of pure love.

One pound extract of kisses.

One pound bright smiles.

One pound sympathetic appreciation.

Put these in a jar of self-forgetfulness and place near a bright fire of coals from

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DOSE.

As much as the patient can take at a time. Sometimes the nervous condition of the patient may require a salve for the eyes called ROANOKE DAILY TIMES.

If he continues restless put warm slippers on his feet, and give him the easiest chair in the glow of the fire. Tell him what a wonderful husband he is, and what a happy woman his wife is. Then give a double dose of the second ingredient of the compound. Repeat every night till the cure is complete.

RELIES LETTRES.

The Citizens Bank of Roanoke

Roanoke, Virginia.

Salem Avenue, between Jefferson and Henry Streets.